

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		Attorney Docket No. <b>2001-1383</b> U.S. Application No. <b>10/531576</b>
INTERNATIONAL APPLN. NO. <b>PCT/NL2003/000695</b>	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE <b>October 15, 2003</b>	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED <b>October 16, 2002</b>
TITLE OF INVENTION: RISER INSTALLATION VESSEL AND METHOD OF USING THE SAME		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: <b>Jack POLLACK and Leendert POLDERVAART</b>		
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.</p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.</p> <p>4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The US has been elected (Article 31).</p> <p>5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been communicated by the International Bureau. See attached PCT/IB/308. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).</p> <p>6. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) a. <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto. b. <input type="checkbox"/> has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>7. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) a. <input type="checkbox"/> are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). b. <input type="checkbox"/> have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made, however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. <input type="checkbox"/> have not been made and will not be made.</p> <p>8. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).</p> <p>9. <input type="checkbox"/> An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4))</p> <p>10. <input type="checkbox"/> A Declaration of Inventorship for purposes of U.S.A. designation pursuant to rule 4.17(iv). ))</p> <p>11. <input type="checkbox"/> An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).</p>		
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
<p>12. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) w/PTO-1449 - <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of IDS citations.</p> <p>13. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment Papers (cover sheet &amp; document(s)).</p> <p>14. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A preliminary amendment.</p> <p>15. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76.</p> <p>16. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Itemized Return Receipt Postcard</p> <p>17. <input type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification.</p> <p>18. <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney and Statement under 37 CFR §3.73(b) a. <input type="checkbox"/> Newly executed Power of Attorney b. <input type="checkbox"/> A change of Power of Attorney and/or change of address letter.</p> <p>19. <input type="checkbox"/> A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.</p> <p>20. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).</p> <p>21. <input type="checkbox"/> A second copy of the English language translation of the international application (35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4)).</p> <p>22. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information: <u>International Search Report, Abstract, PCT/IPEA/409 (International Preliminary Examination Report)</u></p>		

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:			<b>CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY</b>	
<b>PCT FEES - NATIONAL STAGE</b>				
<b><u>Fee Description</u></b>				
Basic National Stage Fee			<b>\$150.00</b>	
Non ISA/US Search Provided			<b>National Stage Search Fee</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> US was the IPEA And all claims satisfied the provisions of PCT Article 33 (1)-(4)			<b>National Stage Examination Fee</b>	
Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20- <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (Fee Code 1617/2617)			<b>\$65.00</b>	
<b>National Stage Application</b> size fee each additional 50 sheets in excess of 100  Fee Code 1681/2681	<b>Additional Sheets</b> $32 - 100 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} X$ <b>50</b>	<b>Fee From</b> <b>Below</b> <b><u>\$125.00</u></b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	
<b>CLAIMS</b> Independent Claims Fee Codes 1614 / 2614		<b>NUMBER FILED</b> 2 - 3 =	<b>NUMBER EXTRA</b> <b>RATE</b> $x \$100.00$	<b>\$0.00</b>
Total Claims Fee Codes 1615 / 2615		20 - 20 =	$x \$25.00$	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)</b> Fee Code 1616 / 2616			$+ \$360.00$	<b>\$0.00</b>
Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).Fee Code 1618				<b>\$0.00</b>
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). (Fee code 8021) <b>\$40.00 per property</b>			<b>+</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED</b> =			<b>\$515.00</b>	
			<b>Amount to be</b> <b>refunded:</b> <b>Charged:</b>	\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of <b>\$515.00</b> to cover the above fees is attached. <input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 in the name of Young & Thompson. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 or 1.17.				
<b>SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:</b> YOUNG & THOMPSON 745 South 23 <sup>rd</sup> Street Arlington, VA 22202 Telephone: (703) 521-2297 Facsimile: (703) 685-0573		 <b>SIGNATURE</b> Benoit Castel, Reg. No. 35,041 <b>NAME, REGISTRATION NUMBER</b>		
Y&T Customer No. <b>00466</b> <b>BC/yr</b>		April 18, 2005 <b>DATE</b>		